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HOP INSPECTION HANDBOOK
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FOREWORD

The Hop Inspection Handbook sets forth the policies and procedures for sampling, inspecting, and certificating hop in accordance with the regulations under the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946. These regulations establish the basic guidelines for inspecting hop and authorize the issuance of such additional guidelines as may be necessary.

The information contained in this handbook is applicable to official hop inspection services performed by the Federal Grain Inspection Service (FGIS), a program under the Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration (GIPSA), and designated state cooperators. Persons interested in obtaining official services may call or write any FGIS field office or cooperator.

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